

HOUSE BILL 1397

By Lamberth

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68,
Chapter 212, Part 5, relative to property where
methamphetamine is manufactured.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-503, is amended by adding
the following new subsection (e):

(e)

(1) The owner, manager, caretaker, person or employee who is charged
with the care of any property, structure or room specified in subsection (b) shall
notify the appropriate law enforcement agency within twenty-four (24) hours of
discovering that a controlled substance listed in § 39-17-408(d)(2) has been
manufactured or is being manufactured in or on any property, structure or room
under the control of the person.

(b) The intentional failure to notify the appropriate law enforcement
agency as required by subsection (b) is a Class B misdemeanor.

SECTION 2 . This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.